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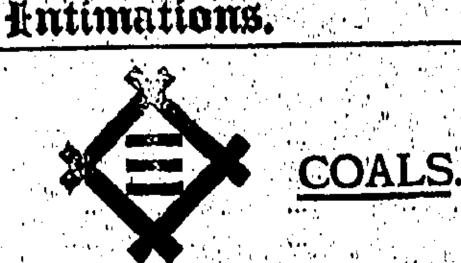
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SIN TAK FAN: -Hungkong, 19th January, 1907.

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THE Premises known as No. 199, WANCHAL ROAD, now occupied by Messre, Macdonald & Co.'s Engineering Works. Possession, 1st February, 1907.

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NI 9. 1, WEST END TERRACE, Shameer

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Hongkring, 14th December, 1906.

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THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-MENT & AGENCY CO. LD. Hongkong, gist July, 1906),

MISSING HEIRS. MANY FORTUMES THAT CAN BE HAD ON APPLIC-TION.

The past year's record of advertised inquisiat for missing heirs and next of kin, which has been prepared by r. Sidney H. Preston, hides at A many forgotten romances.

Persons entitled to £5,893, part of the resi due of the estate of James Trotman, who died In 1859, and bequeathed to Edmund Thomas Browne, deceased, are inquired for ; and £6,000 is divisible amongst the children of James and Joseph Heath, of Cheshire.

Walter Hawkes, who left for New Zealand in 1886, is entitled to property; and the children of Matthew Bayley, formerly of Mileend, may participate in a legacy of £1,000. MANY YEARS AGO.

Charles M. Bell, who was at Cape Town in 1862, is also sought, and John and Edward Hanley, who left Norfolk for Australia 50 years ago; while information is required of Emily W. Leedham, of Quebec, and George Leedham, who lived at Crawe in 1880, for the purpose of paying over certain trust funds. The heirs of Andrew Murray, a coastguardsman; who died in 1870, are also missing.

The descendants of G. C. Reithammer, who lest Austria for England in 1839, are entitled to 50,000 Austrian crowns I a sum-of-£500 awaits the children, supposed to be in America, of tonley Bennett; and persons entitled to property at Corsham, Wilts, bequeathed by George White, who died there in 1864, are sought.

Inquiry is also being made for W. J. Gibbont formerly a waiter at the old Gaiety buffet. "BILL BLUNT'S" GOLD.

Representatives of shareholders in the New West Jersey Society, on whose stock no dividends have been paid since 1692, are again sought. Lists of unclaimed funds due to the un-

known heirs of persons who have died intestate in South Africa cover the estates of Edward B. Thomas, amounting to £1,674; John Williams, £1,702; Elizabeth Novella, £1,532; George Neale, £1,445; Ernest A. Lehmen, £1.09:; and J. C. Jamieson, £677. ... Many persons are inquired for by the Courts of Chancery, including Thomas M Sharp, who left Fugland to years ago; William Evans (alias "Bill Blunt") of South

INFLUENZA AND FOUL AIR. DRAUGHTS. CAUSE' LISS' ILL"ESS THAN

America, in . 878; Thomas Darling, of Soho,

America.

in 1859; and A. F. Edge, who went to

The value of fresh air and the need for having places of public entertainment well ventilated, are emphasised by the "Lancet" as essentials, to the warding off of influenza, and similiar affections every winter.

"There is probably more illness caused by defective ventilation than by draughts," says the great medical journal. "The person who shuts himself up in a very warm room with every source of ventilation practically closed so. that the vital quality of the air is destroyed is invariably the first victim of influenza.. Such a condition of environment has an extraordinary effect in lowering the general tone of the body and its power to resist disease.

"Disease germs are, of course, abiquitous, and the only chance of escaping their successful and insidious attack is by keeping the body. proof against them by preserving a power of resistance, by keeping, so to speak, the soil in condition opposed to their development and growth.

"It is time that the real mischief caused by stuffy places and by devitalised air was more seriously taken to heart than it is. Such places are for certain a fertile source of in. fluenza and respiratory disease, and it seems to us that in regard at all events to public buildings, our health authorities should give their earnest attention to the matter with the view of protecting the public against those diseases which are engendered by the insanitary and unscientific conditions described.

"MR. DOULEY" ON DIVORCE.

GIVES POINT TO A DECREE OBTAINED IN RECORD TIME.

New York, Dec. 23. The second Mrs. James G. Blaine, known

as the "Heliotrope Belle of Washington" six years ago, secured a divorce in South Dakota in record time last night, after residing in the State one day over the statutory period of six.

Petermined to spend Christmas with her parents, Admiral and Mrs. l'itchborne, she in- the 29th January, 1907, at 2.30 P.M., within his duced the judge to take the case at seven in the evening. With torrential eloquence she told of her failure to reform the son of the late Fresidential candidate. She married him on [67 4 July, 1901, was deserted, and lived with her parents for two years...

The Judge sympathetically cut the story shor and pronounced the decree. The petitiones hurried out, entered a waiting carriage, and just caught the eight o'clock east-bound flier," although she had a moment before sworn that she intended to make South Dakota her permanent home.

similar experience at Sioux Falls in 1892. By an old coincidence "Mr. Dooley" makes a laughable contribution on merican divorce in to-day's "Now York Times"; "'Till death

us do part," says th' preacher, "Or th' jury," whispers th' blushin' bride. "In Nebrasky," continues Dooley, "th' shackles arre busted because father forgot to wipe his boots; in New York because mother knows a judge in South Dakota,

"The laws ought to be the same ivry-where. Anny man ought to be able to get divoorce with alimony simply by makin' an affidavit that th' lady's face has grown too bleak for his

"Be hiving, Hinnissy I'd go farther; I'd

anny man escape be jumpin' th' conthract." "What do ye realy think? asked Mr. 1" Hennessy. "I think," said Dooley, "if people wanted to be divoorced I'd let them, but I'd give the children th' custody iv th' parents, They'd I larm thim to behave."

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION,

TO-MORROW. he 26th January, 1907, commencing at 2.30 P.M., at his Bales Rooms, Duddell Street,

Comprising >---

A QUARTITY OF valuable household furniture

FINE TRAK SIDEBOARDS with MIR RORS, DINING TABLE, CHIFONIER, DOUBLE and SINGLE WARDROBES with BEVELLED GLASS DOORS; DOUBLE ind SINGLE BEDSTRADS, &c., &c., &c. TAPESTRY and PLUSH COVERED DRAWING ROOM SUITES, TEAK OVER MANTELS, LACE CURTAINS OCCA-IONAL TABLES, MARBLE-TOP WASH-TANDS and FOILET To BLES, &c , &c , &c .

i APOLLO PIANO PLAYER .co view from Friday, the 25th January. Ostalogues will be issued. TERMS;-Cash on Delivery. GEO. P. LAMMERT,

I. COTTAGE PIANO, by Neumann;

Hongkong, 25th January, 1907.

PUBLIC AUCTION

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sall by: - -P BLIC AUCTION, FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED,

the 20th January, 1907, at 2.30 P.M., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8, Des Vœux Foad, corner of Ice House Street, One 20-Bore FOWLING PIECE by H Hodgson, Ipswich,

TO MORROW.

One Remington 12-Bore FOWLING One iz-Bore FOWLING PIECE: Two LADY'S SALOON RIFLES,

3 GENT'S BICYCLES (2 new once). TERMS :—As usual, HUGHES & HOUGH,

Auctioncers. Hongkong, 25th January, 1907.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

TARTICULARS AND CONDITIONS OF the letting by Public Auction Sale, to be hold on MOND LY, the 28th day of January, 1907, at 3 r.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Depa.tment, by Order of His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, o One Lot of CROWN LAND, at Yau Ma T in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a CROWN RENT to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the King, for one further term of 75

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT. Boundary Measurements. . N. S. Z. W. feet feet feet 118 540 560 -15 849 540 560 355

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Hongkong, 19th January, 1907.

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No. of Sale	Registry No.	LOCALITY.	Boundary Measurements.	Contents in Square ft.	Annual Kent.	Upert Price.
-	Sai Kung Inland Let No. 27. Sai Kung Farm Let No. 3.	Fa Tan Chan.	As per plan {	.50 114:84	-75 114	• osl's

PUBLIC-AUCTICN.

THE Undersigned have received instructions from M. GASTON LIEBERT, Consul-General for France, to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION,

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> A quentity of PALMS in Pots, On view from the 26th instant, at Noon, TERMS .- As usuals. HUGYES & HOUGH.

Auctioneers, Hongkong, 22nd January, 1907,

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FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED, TO-MORROW. the 26th January, 1907, at 2.30 F.M., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8, Des Voeux Road; corner of Ice House Street;

A QUANTITY OF MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES,

Comprising: MICROSCOPES, TELESCOPES, SEX ANTS, BINOCULARS, OUNDING ACHINES, CLOCKS, MUSICAL INS-TRUMENTS, BILLIARD BALLS and UES, PICTURES, NEW SPRING OVER Coats, felt hats, silk umbrellas CAPS, &c., &c., &c.;

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TERMS :--- As usual. HUGHES & HOUGH, Auctioneers.

nngkong, 25th January, 1907.

Intimations.

THE CHINA, PROVIDENT LOAN, AND MORTGAGE COMPANY, LIMITED,

THE TENTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS n the Company will be held at the Offices of the Company, St. George's Building, No. 6, Connaught Road, TO-MORROW, 26th January, 1907, at 11.30 A.M., for the purpose of receiving a Statement, of Accounts and the Report of the General Managers for the year ending . 31st December, 1906, declaring a Dividend and electing a Consulting Com-

mittee and Auditors. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from WEDNESDAY. the 23rd January, until SATURDAY, the 26th January, 1907, both days inclusive.

SHEWAN, TOMES & Co., General Managers. [93 Hongkong, 25th January, 1907.

THE HONGKONG LAND RECLAMA-TION COMPANY, LIMITED, ...

NOTICE is hereby given that the SIXTH ORDINARY MEETING OF SHARE-HOLDERS will be held at the Company's Offices, Victoria Buildings, TO- ORROW, the 20th January, 1907, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1906.

The REGISTER OF SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from FRIDAY, the 18th January, to SATURDAY, the 26th January (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors, MOWBRAY S. NORTHCOTE Secretary.

fringkong, afth January. 10-7. THE WEST POINT BUILDING

COMPANY, LIMITED. TOTICE is hereby given that the NINE-TEENTH ORDINARY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Company's Offices, Victoria Buildings, on MONDAY, the 28th January, 1907, at 11.30 o'clock A.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with Statement of Accounts for the year end-

ing 31st December, 1906. The REGISTER OF SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the 19th January, to MONDAY, the 28th January, (both days inclusive), during which period NO TRANSFER OF SHARES can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors, A. SHELTON HOOPER. Secretary to the Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Co., Ld., Ceneral Agents for the West Point Build-

Hongkong, 14th January, 1907.

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the NINE-TEENTH ORDINARY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will Cotes \$9.50 Per Dozen Quarts, be held at the Company's Offices, Victoria Buildings, on MONDAY, the 28th January, 1907, at 13 O'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with Statement of Accounts for the year and Paulliac 13.50

ing 31st December, 1906. The REGISTER OF SHARES of the Com pany, will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the 10th January, to MONDAY, the 28th January, (both days inclusive), during which period NO TRANSFER OF SHARES can be registered. | Chateau Pontet By Order of the Board of Directors,

A. SHELTON, HOOPER, Secretary. Hongkong, 14th January, 1907.

HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT: COMPANY, LIMITED, NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE EIGHTY-FIRST ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Office, of the Company, Hotel Manslons, on TUESDAY, the 12th February, at it o'clock, Noon, for the purpose of receiving a. Report of the Directors stogether within a , Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend. confirming: the appointment of a Director and electing Auditors, with ING STOVE and UTENSILS, &c., &c., &c., ac.;

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED, from the 30th January, to the 12th Pebruary, both days inclusive, By Order of the Board of Directors," W.E. CLARKE

Sporetary,

Untimations.

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Hongkong, Friday, January 25, 1907.

CONDITIONS IN KWANGSI,

While the people in North China are experiencing all the vicissitudes of famine owing to the failure of the sice crops, and are concentrating in camps where they are being supplied with the bare necessaries of life to keep body and soul together, there is reason to fear that a similar condition of things may prevail in the Southern provinces. It was known that the crop in Kwangsi was "greatly below the average, but from the report, which we publish in another column, transmitted by a correspondent at Wuchow, we gather that the condition of the peasantry is worse than had been anticipated. It is stated that even the most favoured parts of the province have only given a yield of from 50 to 60 per cent, of a normal crop, while in some districts the return has fallen as low as 20 and 30 per cent. Provided these figures are trustworthy, and there is no reason to doubt their accuracy, especially in view of the attitude of the authorities, the outlook for the winter is decidedly unsaf factory. It is a recognised fact that plentiful crop, means a diminution in the driminal returns, but with the peasantry on the verge of starvation a recrudescence of the more serious forms of crime, including to be made in order that the filthy and inpiracies and gang robberies, is greatly to be apprehended. What makes the condition of affairs more to be deplored is the depressed state of commerce generally. even to potato peelings. We must, therefore, Many merchants have been hard hit by the certainly be rather sceptical concerning the variable temperature of the money market; statement that each smoker when he feels with the result that they are not in a position | that the craving for the drug has been perto help their compatriots, their main object | manently overcome, brings his opium pipe, being to stave off financial failure and to avoid lamp and smoking paraphernalia for immedithe bankruptcy pit. The tea crops, with ate destruction. It will further, we imagine, the exception, possibly, of the last crop in be rather difficult for the Mission dispensary November, have been poor and unprofitable, to continue the free supply of the cure to officials. The number throughout is excellent, they should view,

feeling in respect of the eventual outcome the agglomeration of misfortunes. We learn that the Chinese authorities have adopted measures to prevent the exportation o cereals from the Southern provinces, but i can well be understood that those who have had a modicum of success in raising crops of grain are not desirous of retaining within the famine stricken belt products for which the majority of the peasantry have no means to purchase. The proclamations prohibiting the Chinese officials, but it appears that no effort has been made to act in conjunction with the Customs, the consequence being that the cereals have been passed by the latter and afterwards detained at the likin stations. In other words, additional and unnecessary expenses have been incurred by the exporters, and the original value of then the products proportionately increased. I is a black look-out for the Chinese New Year, for it seems impossible that, unless there is a decided change for the better in the commercial world, there can be general settling-up , at the usual period. And the poverty of the peasantry, their inability to indulge in the various functions which characterise this season of the year, and the demands which will be made on the Provincial Government, augur ill for the prospects of the near future. It is not as i the distress were confined to one or two districts, for the failure of the crops seems to cover a widespread area and so affect a very extensive proportion of the native population. In view of the seriousness of the situation, it is to be hoped that the Chinese authorities will take immediate steps to mitigate the sufferings of the people, and thereby stem the tide of popular discontent with all the consequences which follow in its train.

AN ANTI-OPIUM BNTHUSIAST.

Many good people in the home country

appear to be of the firm belief that the

extinction of the opium habit is in sight and apparently there are not lacking newspapers which are willing to foster this belief. A Bombay paper refers to the fact that it is firmly believed an antidote has been discovered, the effects of which are so farreaching and effectual that the opium fiend will be as dead as the dodo in a few months. 'According to a writer in a London newspaper: "A few weeks ago a well-to-do Chinaman in Kuala Lumpur, the capital of Selangor, received from China specimens of had a wide circle of friends in Tientsin, and despatch has been received by H.E. Viceroy a plant which was said to be a cure for the opium habit. A short search revealed the fact that the plant grew freely in Selangor in a wild state. A quantity was obtained and active operations commenced. The leaves of the plant are exposed to the sun for a day, then chopped fine and roasted, after which an infusion is made and the specific is ready for use. The first man experimented upon was a coolie employed by a European lady, and although he was a confirmed opium smoker he was pronounced cured in a week." The Perak Pioneer waxes sarcastic over this piece of information, remarking that "the information and the wonderful statistics given of the newly-discovered cure comes from London, where they appear to be much better informed on the subject than we ourselves are on the spot." It also suggests that many of the writer's statements should be taken with a grain of salt, for if there have been any cures they must partake of the nature of faith-healing. The statement that the antidote was discovered in China is ridiculed and it certainly seems more probable that it was found in Selangor than in the Middle Kingdom-only it has to be proved that it is an antidote at all. For instance, the fact that the writer's facts are all wrong-he says that 2,000 Chinese addicted to opium make daily application for the new decoction at Kuala I umpur alone, and already 14,000 people have been cured-does not incline one to give absolute faith in his various assertions. Our Perak contemporary observes that "it is well-known that the poorer classes of the Chinese live most economical ly, waste nothing, throw nothing away, as was revealed in the case of the first visitation of the deadly bubonic plague in Hongkong, when wholesale forcible evictions had sanitary dwellings occupied might be pulled down and razed, when all sorts of rubbish were found deposited beneath the beds,

while the filatures have fallen below their I all comers, if, as the article further states, usual standard as regards putput. It is those who gather the leaves, now demand needless to refer to the yarn market, which I ten dollars per picul for the same. After has proved so disastrous to merchants in fall, as we have frequently stated, what proof Hongkong as well as in the two Kwang. So I exists that the cure will be lasting? Time that all these unfortunate circumstances has not yet been given the opportunity of combine to accentuate the gravity of the lest being made. Trouble, sorrow, and situation, and tend to create an uneasy worry frequently cause individuals to imbibe in order to drown their care, and what of the misery which will be engendered by proof is there that any Chinese suffering from either of the above afflictions, may not again fly back to his former vice ? .. If there is such a potent drug in existence that the opium habit is wiped out in a week it is strange that it has not been brought to the notice of the Chinese authorities. It is to be seared that despite all the proclamations of the Chinese Imperial Government, the and the wonderful antidotes, the time is bridge on to the Foreign Settlement, and the exportation of grain have been issued by yet far distant when it can be declared positively that the vice has been eradicated. When the present generation has faded away, when every opium pipe and smoking outfit has been thrown into the sea, when the poppy ceases to be cultivated in China parade ground, near the East gate of the City. then, possibly, it may be asserted that the opium habit has disappeared, but not till

LOCAL AND GENERAL ...

THE French mail of the 25th December was delivered in London on the 23rd inst.

on Thursday, January 31st, from 430 to 6 p.m.

summoned by the Sanitary Board before Mr. C. A. D. Melbourne, this morning, for continuing to use the basement of the house as a kitchen after being previously warned. Dr. the case on behalf of his department. The defendant admitted the charge and was given. a fortnight to change the habit.

THE Building Authorities' summons against Fung Shun San, executor for the late Fung Tin Cheuk, which was wrongly served on Messrs. Wilkinson and Grist last week, who, "commanded by the King," appeared in Court and queried the wording of the summons, was amended, and the case was concluded at the Police Court, this morning. The summons was dismissed on a promise being made that the walls would be pulled down. The summons related to certain dangerous walls at the back of a house at Yaumati, which stood in danger of collapsing.

WE greatly regret to learn from a Tientsin telegram of the almost tragically sudden death of Mr. A. H. G. Gilmore, which took place at that port on the 17th-inst., as it is reported, from scarlet fever. Mr. Gilmore was cashier at the Tientsin branch of the Hongkong and likewise many in Shanghai, to whom his Chow, asking for reinforcement. sudden death must come as a shock. He was, we believe, engaged to be married to a Hongkong lady .-- China Gazette.

ten. Scores of physicians are visiting her. The system. mother says her baby began to repeat almost of the mere man reels at the thought of the such a short period. possibilities that lie before her,

By kind permission of Lieut. Col. W. Scott Moncrieff and Officers, the Band of the 3rd Batt. "The Duke of Cambridge's Own" (Middlesex Regiment) will play the following programme of music, during dinner, rt the Hongkong flotel, to-morrow, the 26th it.st. :-

Air (from Stabat Mater)..." Ceyron Animam "....Rossini Overture....... Le Macon ".......Auber Two-Step Hop Scotch "..... Reubens Regimental Marches.

> God Bless the Prince of Wales. God Save the King.

AT the Marine Court this afternoon, before Lieut, C. W. Beckwith, R.N., Harbour Master and Marine Magistrate, the coxswain of the Sam Wo had his certificate suspended for two months, for unlawfully blowing his whistle in the harbour, and was told if he wished to recover it he must go up for examination again at | Court lukong was given a test. the expiration of that period. When examined as to the use of the whietle this afternoon he showed a remarkably vague knowledge of the difference between the port and the starboard side of a vessel!

THE Bystander, one of the brightest of London's illustrated weeklies, has, in the number dated 19th December, the first of a series of articles on "The Awakening of China," by Mr. medical observation, and the case was ad-R. W. Swallow. On the whole, the opening chapter gives an instructive idea of the strides China has made in thought and action during | FROM an artistic scroll which we have received

MILITARY MANŒUVRES. [From Our Own Correspondent.]

Foodhow, 21st January, 1907.

POOCHOW

General Suun Tao Yun, in command of the roops in this district, has arranged for military | rived here and is representing the above. Commanœuvres on an extensive scale, to take place on the 24th and 25th inst. It is estimated that about 4,000 troops will be under arms, divided | ed by his numerous friends here. into attacking and defending forces. The general idea is that on the 24th inst. the force- left this port for Nanning, so it is apparent drawn from the garrisons in the forts on the that the local firms do not intend being behind river-will land at the Limpoo Pagoda, on the times as far as establishing themselves south bank of the River Min, about 5 miles immediately at the new port is concerned. Mr. below Foochow, and march towards the H. Wilton, H.B.M. Consul for Teng-yuch Foreign Settlement, camping for the night on [(British-Chinese frontier), passed through here, the plain. The defenders, being troops station- en route to take up his appointment via Nan. ed at the military camps in Footbow City, sing, edicts and penalties, the anti-opium societies march out of the city, cross the river by the proceed to Tam Poo Tow, where they bivound for the night. On the morning of the a5th inst. there will be a sham fight between the two divisions, and the troops afterwards return to their quarters. On Monday, the 28th inst. a grand review is to be held on the Tartar

CANTON DAY BY DAY.

[From Our Own Correspondent.]

Canton, 24th January. t one o'clock yesterday afternoon, whilst a meeting was taking place at the Railway Shareholders' ssociation in Mun Lan She Yuen, a number of other Canton shareholders WE are requested to announce, that H.E. the appeared on the scene and made some vigorous Governor will beat home at Government House, protests and interruptions, with the intention of creating a disturbance at the meeting. After an interruption of about half an hour's duration, Government a good revenue. THE occupier of No. 3. Stanley Street was a body of police was called in and order was then restored.

On the 20th instant a gang of robbers attacked a village named Shang Tsiin near Faishan, and ransacked about seventeen Clarke, Medical Officer of Health, watched houses. When making off on their way with their booty, the robbers attacked another has been yielding and other parts have only village named Lung Tsün and broke into another eighteen houses, in this locality. It is | winter is expected as lar as the price of foodan almost daily occurrence for me to report cases of robbery committed in Fatshan and its vicinity for the past few days.

t is reported that the Seventy-two Guilds Association of Canton and the different merchants are at present devising means for the purpose of showing their gratitude to H. I. M. the Emperor, for the abolition of the Registration and Cancellation Fees.

A report has been received from Wuchow that'a robbery of a dastardly nature has taken place at Tang Yuen District in Kwangsi, in a village of the clan of Shek on the 8th instant. Some eighty robbers attacked the village and killed one and severely wounded several villagers. Furthermore the robbers kidnapped nine males and four females; but, since, the male villagers have been released. About a thousand soldiers are in hot pursuit of the robbers, the number of whom reemed to beincreasing on the way. In the encounter some twenty soldiers have been killed and Shanghai Bank, and was a gentleman who some fifty wounded including an official. The took much interest in all forms of sport. He pursuit has lasted for some ten days and a

H.E. the Viceroy has given instructions to the Military Department to at once select suitable military officers and different military students, who have completed their course in THE very latest enfant terrible is Engenie | the different military colleges, for the purpose Jaques. She resides at St. Louis, is nine of sending them to the different parts of the months old, and talks like a seasoned child of province to reorganise the present military

any sentence heard in its cradle, even three office here for three years and by law he should months ago Its vocabulary mainly consists have an interview with H.I.M. the Emperor, of sarcastic references to the quality of its dini but at present H.E. Viceroy Chow Fu has ner or the character of the cook, indicating telegraphed to the Grand Council, to retain that while the parents were feeding the little the services of this official here, whose help he nipper was absorbing. Miss Jaques has already | cannot very well at present spare, owing to the talked her father out of his home. The mind new Provincial Judge being in his position for

A COOLIE'S LOVE AFFAIRS.

WANTED TO EMBRACE THE LADY.

Leung Chak Shun, an unemployed in dividual, was ordered by Mr. F. A. Hazeland, this morning, at the I olice Court, to be taken to the Government Civil Hospital to be placed under observation for a few days, as it is believed his mind is unhinged. Leung was charged with entering house No. 5, Hill Road after ten o'clock last night with the intention of committing a felony. A young lady, who said she was the complainant, testified to the l'effect that while she was " in bed having dinner" last night she saw accused sneak into her cubicle and hide himself in a corner. She asked him what he wanted and on receiving no reply called an officer and gave the stringer in charge. "What were you doing in this house?" asked the Court.

The defendant murmured something which the interpreter could not understand, and the

" He says he went there to embrace the girl," said the lukong, going red about the face, after hearing all defendant had to say, "Didn't give him the chance," murmured

the girl when she heard what was said. "I don't think this man is right in the head," said his Worship.

The police did not think so either, and they were instructed to have the man placed under

the past few years, and will enlighten its xead- we learn that an industrial exhibition will be ers regarding present day conditions in the opened at Tokio on 20th March and continue Middle Kingdom. It is profusely illustrated, until roth June next, An auxiliary association with capital photographs of the Empress- has been formed with the object of welcoming Dowager, the Empt or, and several prominent foreign visitors and suggesting the "lions"

WOOHOW NOTES.

CHANCES.

Wuchow, 22nd January." Mr. U. Arthur of the British West River S.S. Co. has left for Nanning to investigate trade prospects at the new port. Captain Dixon, of the same Company, from Hongkong, has ar pany during Mr. ribur's temporary absence. Captain Dixon's return to Wuchow is welcom-

A representative of Banker & Co. has also

The Chinese Government apparently intend

doing all in their power to facilitate and increase the trade of this new port. The drawback to the Wuchow-Nanning trade lay in the fact that certain small passenger stations would not be able to be utilised for what is known as stage-cargo stations. This drawback has been wi hdrawn and abolished, and stage-carge, it is said, can be freely shipped between this port and Nanning subject to examination and payment of duties at either terminus, viz., Wuchow or Nanning. This will, of course, be greatly ap- | Into. preciated by the merchant class as well as the small traders at the various passenger stages or stations, and this practice is only in accord with the precedent already established on the West River. The principal stations between here and Nanning are Teng-yin, Kuang-how, Mung-kong, Kwei-yuen, and Kwei-ping, and these together with a large number of smaller stations of little importance, should collective. ly have a decent trade, which would yield the

PROSPECT OF FAMINE.

Bad reports are coming in from those in the country. The rice crop is much of a failure and other cereals have also failed to yield satisfactory results. In the favoured parts of the country only 50 to 60 per cent, of the crop yielded as little as 20 and 30 per cent. A bad stuffs is concerned, and this will cause a great deal of hardship amongst the peasant class in the country. Proclamations have been posted in the City prohibiting merchants from exporting grain, but such proclamation has been issued by the Taotai, and does not apply to the Customs. The consequence is that rice, wheat, etc. are being passed through the Customs and afterwards invariably "held up" by the likin stations, who refuse to allow the export of cereal, Some of the local native merchants have had a bad financial year, and it is rumoured that a number of them will "put up the shutters" at the Chinese New Year settlements. Business is very stagnant just now, and money-is-very "tight" in the market, and it will be a bad Chinese New Year for many of the Wuchow merchants.

We have had a very dull time lately and the absence of the river gunboats has been felt. H.M.S. Sandpiper, however, is due here in day or two, and the local Recreation Club is busy practising football and cricket, so as to give the gunboat a good game. There is also some talk of a shooting match between teams from the Sandpiper and Wuchow.

> CLAIM AGAINST L'UNION INSURANCE CO.

JUDGMENT FOR PLAINTIFFS.

At the upreme Court, this morning, before The Provincial Treasurer Wu has been in his Honour the Chief Justice, presiding in Original Jurisdiction, judgment was formally entered for the plaintiffs in the case in which the Sun Kwong Lee firm, piecegoods dealers, formerly carrying on business at No. 352, Queen's Road Central, but now at No. 63, Wing Lok Street, sued L'Union Fire insurance Co., Ld, for the recovery of the amount of the policy of insurance issued to the plaintiffs by the defendants in respect of the said premises, No. 352, Queen's Foad Central, and which premises were entirely destroyed by fire; as already recorded in these columns. There had been a similar suit brought against the North German Fire Insurance, on account of almost identical circumstances, and l'Union Insurance Co. had elected to abide by the decision arrived at in that suit, and, if given against the defendants, to consent to judgment against themselves.' As the plaintiffs in the former case won their case and judgment with costs was given in their favour against the North German Fire Insurance Co., Hon, Mr. H. E. Pollock, K.C., applied that judgment might be formally entired for plaintiffs, L'Union Fire Insurance Co., Ld., Judgment was accordingly given for plaintiffs for \$4,485.30, and

> TREACHEROUS SHEDS. IN DANGER OF COLLAPSING

Mr. J. Hutchings, of the Public Works De partment, summoned Tam Ho, the owner of marine let No 797, before Mr. C. A. D. Melhourne, at the Police Court, this morning, for neglecting to comply with an order, dated 20th December last, requiring him to pull down certain ruinous and dangerous sheds at the rear of Nos. 174, 176, 178 and 180, Third Street, West Point. A coolie represented the

owner of the lot. "Where is your master?" asked the Court! "" 4 way," replied the coolie." "Why were not those sheds pulled down

'My master was not here at the time and I had no authority to tear them down." 1996 " Are they down now," asked the Court, Mr. Hutchings said he did not know. The

sheds, he said, were in very bad condition and were in danger of collapsing at any moment. "They were pulled down this morning.". His Worship adjourned the case until next week to allow the P. W., D. representative to visit the spot and ascertain whether the sheds

up for ashlence,

TELEGRAMS

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH!

SERVICE SHANGHAI'S TENDERLOIN

AMERICAN WOMEN CONVICTED. ORDERED TO LEAVE THE SETTLEMENTS

[From Our Oton Correspondent.]

Shanghai, 25th January, 2.40 p.m.

Four American women, the proprietors of certain liouses in a motorious district of Shanghui, have been before Judge Wilfley, at the United States Court for China.

They were fined one thousand dollars each, and ordered to leave the Settlement.

Several other cases have been adjourned, in order that the nationality of the accused may be inquired

SHANGHAI AFFRAY.

ONE MAN SHOT AND KILLED.

[From Our Own Corresponded] 3 Shanghai, 25th January,

2.40 p.m. shooting affray occurred in

Shanghai on Wednesday evening. One of the combatants was killed. His assailant has been arrested.

A STABBING AFFRAY.

EXCITEMENT AT THE DISINFECTING STATION.

"Send a policeman to the Tai-ping-shap Disinfecting Station as soon as possible. A man has been stabbed here I have his assailant under arrest." This was the telephone message received at the Central Police Station last night from the officer in charge of the Disinfecting Station. Inspector Ritchie, who was on duty, dispatched Detective Sorgeant Ramer to look into the matter. On arrival at the place whither he was summoned Chan Yut, an office coolie, employed on the premises, was given in custody, and a fireman, san Ki, who was found to have been slashed under the left breast, was removed to hospital."

From a statement made by the prisoner at the station it appeared that the fireman returned home in an intoxicated condition last evening, and started to raise trouble with everybody. He ultimately tackled the accused, who was in bed, and a quarrel, which was followed by a fight, ensued. Although accused denied it, it was believed that during the fight he drew a knife and slashed the fireman, ""

The fireman's condition was not serious and be was able to limp into Mr. Hazeland's Court. this morning to testify, in company with other witnesses, against the office cooling, who was found guilty of the charge of "cutting and wounding" and sentenced to six weeks' imprisopment with hard labour.

THE DISBARRED SHANGHAL LAWYBRS,

We (China Garette) understand that the United States Consul-General has expressed his intention to allow the disbarred members of the American Bar to practise in his Court, which will have the effect of admitting six gentlemen now under disability, not only to the American Court, but we believe to the Consular Courts of other nations. Whether this will include the British Supreme Court we are not prepared definitely to state. But it must be remembered that it is only to Britishers. that that tribunal is the Supreme Court. Under the Treaty it is simply a Cansular Court, the same as the American, French, Portuguese, or any other court here. It is certainly the fact that at other ports-Tientsin for example-American lawyers, with a permission from the local Consultare permitted to practise when the Supreme Court holds sessions there.

But what will happen here though, when a client of one of the lawyers whom Judge Wilfley now declines to listen to, is committed to the higher tribunal for trial, by the Consul-General? The situation will be very ludicrous. and may tend to bring Judge Wilfley's Court into greater ridicule and contempt than all the advocates to whom he takes exception are likely to do. In fact the Consul-General's decision is a very substantial mail in the coffinof the extraordinary attitude which Judge Wilfley has taken up.

SHIPPING AND MAILS.

German (Prinz Heinrich) 28th inst. American (Nippon Maru) 28th inst. Indian (Namitang) 31st inst. Gorman (Preursen) grat inst. Australian (Rastern) and prox. Canadian (Athenian) 3rd prox. German (Prins Sigismund) 6th prox

The s.s. Algor arrived at San Francisco on The v.s. Koren arrived at San Francisco or 23rd inst.

The C. P. R. Ca's s.z. Empress of China left Yokobama at 3 p.m., on 24th inst., for Victoria and Vancouver. The L. C. S. N. Co.'s a s. Namsang from

Calcutta and the Straits left Singapore for this port on 24th inst., at 5 pm. at Manila on 24th inst. she learne Manila were there or not, and the coolie to come toth instant may be expected here on self-

THE POKEUOLUM ROAD

INCIDENT.

NO WORD FROM GOVERNMENT ANALYST.

The German seaman-I. Scherrer by pame-

who was picked up by the West Point police

in a semi-conscious condition near No. 1 Bridge

Poktoolum Road, on Wednesday afternoon, is

contrary to all expectations, progressing favour-

ably in hospital, Up to the time of writing

the police have secured no evidence, medi

cal or otherwise, to show what the Ger-

man was suffering from when he was ad-

milted into hospital, although they expect

word sooner or later. The police, however,

are of opinion that the man was suffering

from opium-poisoning, and if this theory is

confirmed by the Government Analyst, who has

been handed the phial' found in Scherrer's

pocket by the police-which was said to have

once contained laudanum-and the drawings

of the stomach pump, then the unfortunate

seaman as soon as he has cumpletely recovered

will have to show cause-not to the police, but

to a magistrate—why he should not be deal

COMMERCIAL

... TO-DAY'S INTELLIGENCE

Buyers:-National Banks \$49, Union In-

\$521, Hongkong Hotels \$115, Ices \$250, New

Manilas \$22, Douglases \$36, Raubs \$9, Hong-

kong Docks \$145, Kowloon Wharves \$96,

Humphreys Estates \$12, China Borneo \$10,

Cements \$211, Ropes \$21, China Lights \$94,

Sales:-Hongkong Banks \$940, China Sugars

\$130, Ices \$250, New Amoy Docks \$12, Lang-

Nominal:-Hongkong Fires \$175, Macao

Steamboats \$30, Indo-Chinas \$87, Shell Trans-

ports 30/-, ex div., Shanghai Docks Tls. 108,

Hongkew Wharves Tls. 234, Hongkong Lands

Stri Humphreys Estates Stri China Provi-

Amoy Docks \$12, Langkats Tls. 250.

Powells 571.

kats Tls. 250.

with for attempting to commit suicide,

TELEGRAMS

[Reuter's.]

The Jamaica Earthquake.

LONDON, sard January. The Mansion House fund has reached £25,000, of which £15,000 has been wired to Jamaica.

The United States and Canada.

Mr. Root, the guest of the Canadian Club in Ottawe, in a speech, said that the difficulties between Canada and the United States were insignificant compared with the fact that both had lived in peace for ninety

Italian Ambassador to Japan. Count Gallina has been appointed Italian Ambassador to Tokio....

Earthquakes in Sumatra.

A Hague official notification states that, on the 11th inst., the island of Simalu almost disappeared; 1,500 persons lost their lives and violent earthquakes occurred daily.

Francisco, under instructions from Washington, has forbidden the landing of 200 Japanese labourers from Honolulu.

Great Britain and Japan.

The Times says that Saionji's speech commands, both in substance and form; the ad-· miration of Japan's European allies, as well as gratification, at the growing solidity of the Anglo-Japanese alliance. It is felt in Great Britain that the strength of the plliance makes both parties earnestly desire an attitude of lasting friendship and goodwill towards a third Power in Asia, and urges a cordial understanding with Russia as the best means of maintaining peace.

LEAGUE CAICKET.

LEAGUE TABLE.

The following is the League table up (o date: -Matches.

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Kowlooh 6 3 0	3	12	66,66
Army Staff 10 2 6	2	8	26.62
R. G. A 6 1 3 1	2	5	27.72
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CRAIGENGOWER 1/2 POLICE.

This league match will take place on Satur day, at 2.15 p.m., between the above Clubs on the Police Ground. The following will represent Craigengower:- [.. E. Lammert (Capt.), R. Basa, A. O. Brawn, M. S. Asger, L. A Rose, E. Irving, E. S. Ford, R. B. Cooper, S. E. Green, G. G. Evans, and E. Hunter," Reserve :- J. Pestonjee.

The following will represent the Police: -Wodehouse, King, Langley, Kerr, McHardy, Kent, Pitt, Winter, Edwards, Fowler and Apple. Reserve: Davis and Foley. Umpire: Inspector Withers.

CIVIL SERVICE V. R. E.

The following team has been selected to represent the Civil Service. Mr. H. T. Jackman (Capt.) Hon. Dr. J., M. Atkinson, Messrs. F. A. Biden, E. B. Reed, G. A. WoodcocS, P. R Adams, L. E. Brett, P. T. Lamble, A. J. Jordan, E. W. Dawson and A. N. Other.

CIVIL SERVICE "A" PARSEE CLUB.

The following team has been selected to represent the Civil Service "A." Messrs. C Chawkley, G. Pile, W. Gast, A. Cooper, G. Hoggarth, A. Tucker, D. Willes, L. Bolton, G. Badcock, G. Cole and C. W. Hrett.

FOOTBALL CHALLENGE SHIELD.

The Rugby Club meet the Royal Engineers on Saturday on the Club ground. Kick-off at 3.45 prompt. Eng. I leut Forbes will referee and the players are :-

Royal Engineers :-- Cpl. Shute : Lcc. Cpl. Henwood and Spr., Beardmore; Spr., Rayne, Cpl. Forsyth and 'pr. Hamblin; Lee. Cpl. Turner, Lieut. Ogle, Cpl. Heatley, Spr. Amphlett, and Spr. Davies Linesman-Lce. Cpl, Harkell.

The tie between Lusitano F. C. and R. A M. C. will be played on Saturday on Military Ground, Happy Valley. Kick off at 3 p.m. Teams:-Lusitano:-F. da Silva, L. G. Cordeiro, J. C. Baretto, J. M. Victor, P. da Roza, H. Hyndman; R. C. da Silva, A. J. V. Ribeiro, L. A. Ozorio, A. V Barros, E Hyndman.

Wharton, Grimsdall, Johnson, Coap, Primer, Jones and Davis.

POLICE Constable Roby, of the Water Police Station, summoned the master of the steam launch Wo On before Mr. F. A. Hazeland, at the Police Court, to-day, for failing to stop when signalled to by the police launch. The defendant said he did not see the police on the day in question. The officer said that on the 22nd instant accused's launch was seen crossing the barbour. She was full of passengers and the carge on board was stacked as high as the awning. He called upon the launch three times to stop as he suspected it was carrying passengers in excess, but no notice was paid to the signals." The master was fined \$10.

The Amny Race Meeting of 1907 will long be remembered as one of the most successful that has ever taken place in that small sporting community. Four Shanghai jockeys accepted the invitations of their Amoy friends, and need hardly be said that the treatment they received from all hands was that of the "greatest of kindness."

HE AMOY NACES.

The morning of 10th inst, saw, the opening of the Meeting, the Consular Cup being the first race, which Rhone won with Mr. Midwood up. The Trial Stakes came next, open to Amoy subscription griffins, and this was taken by the favourite, "Cross Deep" Mr. Pearse in the saddle.

The Po-Kee Challenge Cup, 13 mile, only brought out two starters Tipcat and Nimbus, ridden by Messry, Lanning and Midwood respectively, and after a close finish the former won in the creditable time of 2.45!

Following this race the Hackwan Cup was run and resulted in a fairly easy victory for Mr. Goodfellow on Treffbube. The E Mung Kang Plate was practically a "walk over" for Auld Lang Syne Mr. Midwood up, the other runners being quite outclassed. The Kulangsu Cup brought a field of eight starters Japanese Labourers in California. and was won by The Limit, well-ridden by The Immigration Commissioner in San Pearse. The seventh and last race of the first day, the Amoy Stakes, fell to Platelayer, Pearse up, the Fonchow Champion winner " Ilio," who was very "dicky," coming in a good second. Time 2.50 2/5 ths.

> ·It commenced to blow on the evening of 10th, and next morning a fairly strong North-Easter was in evidence, so it can hardly be said that the second day was an ideal one from a racing point of view, although it kept but few of the ladies away from the Course, which spoke well for the interest the fair sex takes in the "great game" in Amoy.

Proceedings opened on the second day with the Chazge Cup which Mr. Midwood won on Ginger. For the next race, the Amoy Derby, the field was a disappointing one, only three starters, and was won by Discomfit, Lanning up. The Challenge Cup resulted in a good race and Rhone, piloted by Mr. Midwood, was victorious, winning outright, this magnificent trophy for Mr. Wilson he having won it in the previous year with Asphodel. Both owner and jockey received numerous congratulations, the victory being an extremely popular one.

The following race, the Exchange Flate, was also won by the same owner, with Nimbus, who had also Mr. Midwood in the saddle, but it was a very close finish with the well-known Foochow sub. Spots.

The Jockey Cup was reserved for local jockeys and was won by Dr. Moorehead on the Limit, another very popular win. The sixth race, the Racing Stakes, fell to Treffbube, Goodfellow up.

Distress, Lanning up, won the Ewo Cup and this event closed the proceedings for the second

The morning of the third day opened fine, the wind having practically disappeared, so a good day's sport was looked for and certainly no one was disappointed. Several people who had been unable to be present on the previous days helped to swell the crowd, and when the first race was started, punctually at 12.30, the stands and enclosures were well filled.

A start was made with the Leger Cup which was won by Nimbus, Midwood up. The Twoman Cup, presented by a couple of Amoy's best sports, fell to Ginger, ridden by the all conquering Midwood. The Hack Stakes followed and once more Dr. Moorehead was able to show the local jocks the way round on isclosure. It was a good race, old W. C coming in second. The Lottery Cup was won by P. P. C., Goodfellow up. This pony had

previously been placed four times seconda For the Consolation Cup a fair number started and the race was easily won by Mr. Goodfellow on Spots. "A good little pony and one that should have rendered a better account of

The Nil Desperandum Stakes resulted in a hard fight between "Macao" and "Buck Up" but Lanning just managed to gain the verdict | passage-way, forbidding the coolie to leave the on the former.

The Champions brought out a field of six. the discussion outside, went to their master's

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Tipcat, Lanning	Ĩ	
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Treffbube, Goodfellow	Q	,

Auld Lang Syne, Scott After,a false start, Treffbube got away for about half a mile before he was pulled up When the flag ultimately fell, Tipcat went well to the front and was never headed, and thus secured a good win for his popular sporting owner, Mr. F. B. Marshall, in the record loca time of 2.43.

Although with the Champions over the programme was brought to a close, the Taotai, twelve months imprisonment and four hours' who had been present on the third day, was not content until a race had been run for a Cup he was pleased to give. Owners were anxious to R. A. M. C.: Atkins; White, Stanley, Smith | secure this coveted trophy, so a good" field turged out, and after a close race. Distress, Launing up, was declared the winner, P. P. C. once more being second.

> fallen considerably over the E. Coast of China Before closing this account a remark must be made as to the good behaviour of the numerous Chinese present on the three, days, and the keen interest they took in the sport. The gentlemen who had charge of the course had little difficulty in keeping the large crowd orderly and in the best of humours.

As long as Amoy has such thorough sportsmen as Messrs. Marshall, Thomas, Wilson, Mempel and others taking such interest in the races one will always he sure of seeing as good and clean racing as was witnessed this year by

"" ONE WHO WAS THERE." -Shanghad Times,

THE CHAIR CHILDREN FUND. Amount previously, acknow-Mr. T. Skinner W. J. Rattey T. Nevel " Jas. McGlashan Joseph Clelland , Jas, E. Hansen . A. Nicholson D. Harvey J. Fischer a. A. Millar J. Ramsay D. Neilson . W. Ramsay Messrs. W. G. Humphreys & Co. ... in the see ... Messrs, Chas, G. Gaupp & Co. Mr. Robert Hunter " J. Gillespie British Antifouling Co., Ld., London, per Messes. Meyer & Co. Mr. F. Schwarzkopf " & Mrs. Pithie " C. S. Webb " A. G. Gordon , D. Purves... Messrs. Lane, Crawford & Co. per China Mail... Mr. W. Nicholson " W. Watson " Ah Chee "Ah Kee " Ab Chung ··· " Ma Wong " Ah Foo ... " Ah Soo " Hung Kwong... "Tack Joo Hing " Ah Wan " Ah-man " Ma-cheung Ma Fanf... Ah Kee " Ah Fook … … … … " Hum Hai...

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WHY THE POLICE!

COOLIE AND AN OPIUM PIPE.

strolled quietly into an opium divan at Wart-

chai last night and hauling out five cents from

his pockets told the keeper that he wanted a

smoke. He was shown a bed and was supplied

with the necessary implements to consume his

five cents' worth of opium. After about ball an

hour's stay the coolie proceeded to leave the

premises. The keeper went up to the bunk to

clear away the opinim tray, but was soon after

"I am very busy now," returned the coolie,

"Where is my opiom pipe?" queried the

"I haven't got anything belonging to you,"

In the meantime the keeper had blocked the

house. A couple of the keeper's fokis, hearing

assistance, and together the coolie was seized

"Call the police quick," yelled the keeper,

"The police !" exclaimed the coolie, "Ha-

vent I given you back the pipe? Why

The police arrived and the coolie was

removed to No. 2 Police Station, where he was

recognised by Inspector Gourlay as having

been banished on the 20th July, 1906. He

was promptly entered on two charges—theft

and returning from banishment. He pleaded

morning, and Mr. F. A. Hazeland sentenced

him to one month's gaol on the first count and

stocks on the second, sentences to run con-

THE WRATHER.

The following report is from Mr. F. G. Figg.

On the 25th at 11.55 a.—The barometer has

A shallow depression has passed over the R.

Coast of China moving Rastwards. It lies now

off the S.W. Coast of Japan. Pressure is

moderate N.E. and E. winds may be expected

FÖRECAST.

2.- Formosa Channel, N.E. winds, moderate.

3 -- South coast of China between Hongkong

4.—South coast of China between Hongkong

in the Formosa Channel and the China Sea.

First Assistant of the Hongkong Observatory:—

said the coolie. "You don't mean to call me a

in king for the door, "but will see you later."

he retiring coolie.

the conlic, "I want to see you."

thief, do you?" he asked.

lashed on to his girdle.

police?"

secutively.

and W. Japan.

moderate : fair.

highest over Central China.

and Lamocks, same as No. 1.

and Heinan, same as No. I.

A Chinaman, looking the picture of misery,

Total\$ 2,586

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, Ling Chu

, Ah Ngau...

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NOTICE is hereby given that the EIGH-TEENTH ORDINARY MEETING or SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Company's Office, Victoria Buildings, on MONDAY, the 4th February, 1907, at 12 p'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1906.

The REGISTER or SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from WEDNASDAY, 30th January, to MONDAY, the 4th February (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered. By Order of the Board of Directors.

A. SHELTON HOOPER, Secretary to the Hongkong Land Investment & Agency Co., Ltd.,

Agents for the Kowloon Land & Building Co., Ltd. Hongkong, 25th January, 1907.

THE SHIU ON STEAMSHIP COMPANY LIMITED.

TOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-IN ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF THE COMPANY will be held at the Company's Registered Office No. 8, Queen's Road West, Victoria, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 23rd day of the 12th Moon of the 32nd year of Kwong Sui (the 5th day of February, 1907), at 12 o'clock noon, when the following Resolutions will be proposed, viz:-

1.-That the capital of the Company be increased from \$250,000 to \$350,000 by the issue of 5,000 fully paid up new shares of \$20 each ranking for dividend, voting power and in all other respects pari passu with the existing shares of the Company. 2.—That such new shares be offered in the

first it stance to the persons who on the 19th day of February, 1907, shall be the registered shareholders of the Company in the proportion of one new share for every old share held by them and that such offer be made by notice specifying the number of shares which each such registered shareholder shall be entitled to take up and limiting the time within which the offer if not accepted by payment of the full amount of \$20 per share will be deemed to be declined and that the Directors be empowered to dispose of the shares not taken in response to such offer as they consider expedient in the interests of the Company. .

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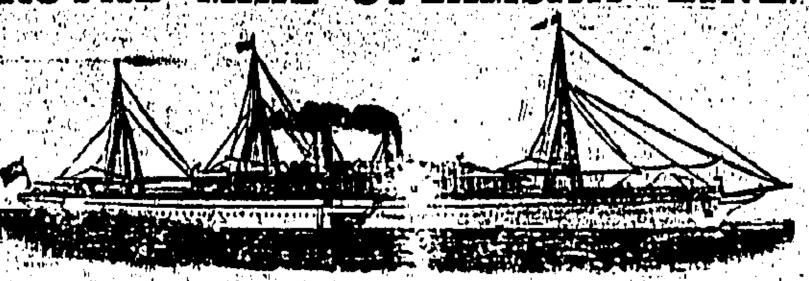
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E. A. HEWETT, Superintendent Hongkong, 24th January, 1907.

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TUESDAY, the 20th January, at Noon, will be subject to rept and landing charges, All claims must be sent in to me on or before the 29th January, or they will not be recog-

All damaged packages will be examined on TUESDAY, the 29th January, at 3 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX. Hongkong, and January, 1907,

Consignees.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

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"GREGORY APCAR"

Cargo impeding the discharge will be landed at once, at Consignees' risk and expense. Cargo remaining on board after 4 P.M. of the 26th instant, will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into the hazardous and/or extra

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> 4th proximo, or they will not be recognized. examined on the 29th instant, at II A.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Agents. longkong, 22nd January, 1907.

HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE.

Optional Goods will be landed here unless notice to the contrary be given before TO-Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be

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> All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the ---- at 3 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods

have left the Godowns, and all Goods remain-

examined on WEDNESDAY, the 23rd of All Claims must reach us before the 30th o lanuary. 1907, or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned. NORDDBUTSCHER LLOYD.

Agents.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND

having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside.

such Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the

DAVID SASSOON & Co., LIMITED, Sucking Pigs, To Order-Chu Chai ..., Hongkong, 24th January, 1907.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be

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Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless

days of the steamer's arrival here after which date they cannot be recognised.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 28th January, will be subject to rent.

HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE Hongkong Office. "Horebong, 21st January, 1907.-NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, BREMEN

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> Prawns-Ming Hammer to the property of Ray-Pel Pa Sa Rock Fish-Sek Kau Kung,,,,,,,,,,,

MELCHERS & Co., Hongkong, 18th January, 1907,

BUTCHER MEAT Boef sirioin & primocut—Mei Lung Pa 2 30 " Corned-Ham Ngan Yuk n Roast-Shiu , Soup, Tong Yuk , Steak-Ngau Yuk Pa Sirloin-Ngau Lau " Sausages, -- Ngau Yuk Chaung ... " Bullock's Brains- .. Know..... per set " Tongue fresh-Ngau Li...... each ' ,, corned-Ham Ngau Li..... ,, , Head-Ngau Tau " Heart-Ngau Sumper Ib , Hump, Salt-Ngau Kin..... " Feet-Ngau Kerk.....each " Kidneys-Ngar Yiu..... " Tripe (undressed)-Ngau To..... " Calves' Head and Feet-Ngau-chai-Leg-Yenng Pel Shoulder-Young Shau Pigs! Chitlings-Chi cheong

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POULTRY.

Capons, Large, Small-Sin Kai.,...., Ducks—Ap ,, Doves-Pan Kaueach Eggs, Hen-Kai Tan.....per doz. Hainan—Hoi Nam Kai

Geese-Ngo Geese, Wild Shanghai-Sheung Hoi Ye Ngo pair. Musk Deer-Wong Kengeach \$3.00 Hare-Tu Chai......

Partridge-Che Khoo Pheasant-Shan Kaipair . 1.50 Pigeons/Canton-Pak Kup each Holhow-Holhow Pak Kup " Onail-Um-Chun

Rice Birds-Wo Fa Chenkdozen Snipe—Sa Chuieach Turkeys, Cock—Fo Kai Kung ,, Wild Ducks, Shanghai, Sul-appair Teal, Shanghai, Sui Ap Chai.......

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Salmon, (C'ton), fresh.water--Ma Yan

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Mandarin-Tim Kut Olives-Pak Lam Passion Fruit..... dozen Pears, (American)-Kam San Shut Li B

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VEGETABLES, &c.

Artichokes, Shanghai, -Sheung Hoi Ab i eans, (French) Macao-Oh Moon Pin

Tau Feans, (French), Shanghal-Sheung Ho! Pin Tau iteans, Sprout-Ab Choi..... Beans Long-Tau Kok Leet Root-Hung Choi Tau..... each 29 Brinjals, Green-Cheng Yuen Ker weer to 20 Brinjals, Red-Hung Ker Brassica-Pak Choi..... Bamboo Shoots-Chook Shun Cabbage, Chinese, com.—Kai Choy..... Cabbage Root-Kai Lan Taueach Cabbage, (Shanghai)—Yeh Choi

Cane Shoots, bunch-Kau Shun Cauliflower, Large size-Tai Yeh Choi Cauliflower, Medium size-Choung Yeh. Choi-faeach Cauliflower, Small size-Sai Yeh Choi-fa Carrots-Kam Shun Celery, Chinese-Tong Kan Choy Celery, English-Yeung Kan Choi Colery, White-Pak Young Kan Chai...

Chilles Dried-Con Lat Chin Red-Hung Fa Green-Cheng Lat Chiu Curry Stuff, English-Kr. Lee Choi Liu Cucumbers-Cheng K-wa Fitter Squash—Fu Z.wa Garlic-Suen Tau Cinger, young -- Sun Tax Keung n .old-T.o Keung Horse Radish, Shanghai-Lik Kan ... Ib Indian Corn-Suk Maipiece Lettuce-Yeung Sang Choieach Water Chesnuts-Ma Tai : : Mandarin—Kwel Lum Ma Tal n . Musk Melon Mushrooms Fresh-Sang Cho Kho

Onions, Bombay-Yeung Chung Tau ... Green-Sang Chung. Shai-Sheung Hoi Chung Tan "... Japan-Yat Poon Okroes-Mo Ker Pareley, English—Young Un Sal 51.30 Gradus Pea Green Peas-Cheng Tau,,,,,

Potatoes, Sweet-Fan Shu Shanghai-Sheung Hoi Shu Teal Japan-Yat Poon Shu Tsai American-Fa Ki Foochow-Fuk Chau Shu Tsai Macao-Oh Moon

Pumpkin-Toong Kwa Radish-Hung Lo Pak Tsal...,..dosen Phubarb Shalots-Con Chung Tau Spinage (Chinose) -- Paw Ohoi Spinach-Vin Choi Tomatoes-Fan Ker....

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" AMONGS! THE SAKARABORI-GINES OF MALAY!"

A lecture was given at the Empire at Bristol by Mr. Fred W. Knocker, F. Z. S., who was formerly resident in Bristol and was "subcurator of the City Museum in Queen's Road. A large audience greeted the lecturer, who briefly referred to his former connection with the city, and to The pleasure it afforded him to come back to meet old friends, and to give them an account of his life and experiences in the distant country he had visited, and the strange people amongst whom he had lived during the past six years. . He described the geographical position of the country and the route pursued to reach it, and by the aid of outline maps showed the relative position of the states now inhabited by the civilised races and those wilder regions into which the everadvancing civilisation of the Peninsula caused the aboriginal races to retire. In addition to the Sakai people there were other native crews to a watery grave, has at last been races, such as the Semang and Jakun, but solved, according to the "Daily Express." he proposed to confine himself principally | Ships coming from Europe to Western to a description of the former. He declin- America by way of Cape Horn have been stared to speculate upon the origin or anti- tled by what seemed to be a derelict vessel Loosok, Ger. s.s., 1,024, G. Schultzen, 23rd quity of the race, owing to the absence of with water washing over the decks. sufficient data, but spoke of the hardships The Crown of Italy was one of the ships and oppression suffered by the natives under which sighted the supposed ghostly vessel in the Malays after they had discovered and distress, and in going to its aid-ran on a rock taken possession of the country, and of the and was wrecked; comparative freedom enjoyed after the estable. Not long ago the l'orwegian barque Servia lishment of the British protectorate. He arrived at Seattle with the tale of a plantom described the kakai natives as a mild, tame, ship which almost exactly corresponded to that and anti-warlike race. They were a well-built, given by officers of the Crown of staly. well-proportioned people, healthy, active, and | " (wing to the Norwegian's strange story the strong, as would be expected of men living United States Hydrographic Office instituted in the open-air. But they were excessively inquiries. At their request the Argentine Gotimid and retiring, and the continual advance | vernment sent out a steamer which found that of the white man wortled them, and drove the apparition was due to a strange freak of them further into the depths of the jungle. So nature. hurriedly would they abandon their camps | Among the black, Jagged rocks that lined | Neil MacLeod, Am. s.s., 901, E. Corral, 19th upon the approach of civilised men, that often both sides of the Strait Le Maire there was one their fires, their partially-cooked food, and, in particular which, under certain atmospheric perhaps, even a forgotten child, would remain | conditions, bore a deceptive likeness to a shipas evidences of their hasty flight. When he | The formation of the rocks and the shadows got on terms of intimacy with them, he found they cast combined to produce the effect of a they were a simple, good natured people, barque running under short sails. bright and merry. Their only clothing con- The place will be marked in future on like sisted of a kind of a cloth made from bark, charts with the words | "Rock bearing the apsoftened by beating and hammering it, but pearance of a ship." they were very ready to avail themselves of "borrowed plumes," in the cast-off garments of the civilized races with whom they came in contact. Their principal weapon was the blow-pips and poisoned dart, in the use of which they were very expert. The lecturer minutely described these, and the care with which they are made, the tips of the darts being polsoned with the sap of the deadly Victoria, Swed. s.s., 1,234, Kellberg, 24th Jun., upas tree, and notched in such a way that any attempt to remove the dart from a wound would leave the poisoned tip behind. They were very fond of animals, and kept many as them, on one occasion absolutely refusing to obtain for him a wild dog, which he was angious to obtain for scientific purpose. They had very little belief in the occult, Hailan, Fr. s.s., 377, i , Anderson, 25th Jan,or in witchcraft, magic, or supernatural or religious rites, but there was very little crime, or strife or immorality amongst them. They were very found of personal adornment, and were eager to render small services, or barter their possessions, for coins and other articles for which they had no use except to string them into bracelets or neckfets. Mr. Knocker dwelt upon the probable future of the country, and upon the rapidly developing growth of, and trade in, rubber, Loyal, for Saigon and of the tin-mining industry. The lecture Hartan, for Swatow,

LANGUAGE OF SEALING-WAX.

danger .-- Western Press:

the characteristics of the people, many of the

REVIVAL OF A CURIOUS OLD TASHION.

Owing to the ingenuity of expert railway thieves the authorities in France and the Unit. Liangehow, for Canton. ad States have reverted to the old system of fastening the mails with scaling-wax and cord, instead of padlocks and chains. The result has been that the sealing-wax trade, which is largely centred in Birmingham, has received greatly increased orders from abroad.

Coloured sealing-wax will be the fashion during the coming season, and large quantities are being bought by, London stationers. The sevival in the use of sealing-wax for ordinary correspondence is believed to be largely due to the increased demand for old signet-rings, which has been noted by dealers in antiques all over the country. Another feature of the Rosnity,

coming fashion promises to be a complete p rascology of scaling-wax, according to the colour employed. These are as follows

White	Invitations to weddings
Chocolate	Invitations to dinners
Violet	Expressions of sympathy
Green	
	Engaged lovers
Red	Business
	Refusals of offers of marriage.
Blue	Constancy
Grey	Firm frienship
Yellow	Jealousy
- Black	**************************************

PHANTOM SHILL

ANCIENT MYSTERY OF CAPE HORN SOLVED.

The mystery of the phantom ship of Cape Horn, which has puzzled superstitious mariners for centuries and led many vessels and their

Riverton, Br. s.s., 2,236, T. H. Whiteway, 24th Jan.,-Caidiff 3rd Dec., Coal.-Admir. lty. Marie, Ger. s.s., 1,169, J. Petersen, 24th Jan.,-Mauritius 30th Dec., Bucan-Nam Win ... Thoresen & Co.

Tatsu Maru, Jap. s.s., 1,951, N. Yanagi, 24th Jan.,-Kobe 16th Jan., Matches, Coal and Gen.-Yee Hing Tail

pets, and had a very sympathetic feeling for Sophie I ickmers, Ger. s.s., 1,800, Kochu, 24th Jan.,--Moji 19th Jan., Coal.-A., K. & Co. Haitan, Br. s.s., 1,183, J. S. Roach, 25th Jan.,-Foothow 22nd Jan, Amoy 23rd, and Swatow 24th, Gen.—D., L. & Co,

> Pakhoi 20th Jan., Hoihow 23rd, Gen. and Pige.-A. R. M. Taming, Br. s.s., 1,357, A. W. Outerbridge, arth Jan .- Mauila 22nd Jan., Gen .- B. &

> Chiyuen, Ch. s.s., 1,177, C. Stewart, 25th Jan., -Canton 24th Jan., Gen.-C. M. S. N.

Homed, Br. s.s., 3,005, W. H, Torrible, 25th

Jan. - Liverpool 14th Dec., Gen -B. & S. Clearances at the Harbour Office.

Yahiko Maru, for Java. was illustrated by a large number of photo- Changchow, for Swatow. graphs, showing the nature of the country and Triumph, for Haiphong, Shuld, for Saigon. Hangchow, for Tsingtau. pictures having been obtained under cir- Diomed, for hanghai. cumstances of considerable difficulty and some Phranang, for Swatow.

Departures. Devanta, for Shanghai,

Yawata Marw, for Australian Ports. Hongwan I, for Amoy. Fausang, for Keban. Atlacraig, for Singapore. Falk, for Canton. Loongsang, for Manila. Karin, for Snigon. Kanju Maru, for Salgon.

Pascengers arrived.

Per Marie, from Mauritlus-230 Chinese. Per Hallam, from Coast Ports-Dr. and Mrs. Merkum, Misses Merchant, Wetherly, Blun-keit, Kingemills, Masters Stewart, Gordon Winter, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Thomas, Messrs. Raitton, Schrandeyer, Siequa, and 170 Chinese.
Per Diomed, from Singapora—257 Chinese.
Per Tapsing, from Manila—Mrs. Labgold,
Mrs., Castle and children, Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Love, Mesers. J. C. Kundson, C. H. Magie, A. W. Hopps, J. H. Loog, S. Wolff and Geo.

Per Yamasa Maru, for Manila, &c.- Mesers. Ramirez Obeiza, Ramirez de la Cavada, D. O'Connell, A. H. Abrens, Dr. J. P. Monteith, Maters, P. H. Foxwell, E. P. Foxwell, Madame. and Mons. Ramon Ramirez, Mr. A., B. I awrence, Madame Pamirez Fouquoise, Monsieur Carlos Fouquoise, Mr. and Mrs. Francisco Peng, 3 children and amah, Rev Cheock Hong Cheong, Mrs. 17. E. Heacock, Messrs, John Rolle, J. L. Goulter, E. Woolen, J. J. Harrician, C. L. Burrougas, E. A. Hopkins and S. Mori.

Passengers depayted.

Per Nikko Maru, for Japan-Messrs. Slomann, Mori, Kobayashi, Mrs. Yasuda, Mr. Chambers, Mrs. K. Yano, Mr. R. G. Singleton, Miss Singleton, Messrs. R. Marui, G. Wataro, Kida, I. Fujimura, K. Kawasaki, D. Savary and. Tonchara.

Vessels in Port.

STEAMERS. Arcadia, Br. s.s., 3,317, A. L. Valentini, 24th Jan,-Shanghai 22nd Jan . Mails and Gen -P. & O. S. N. Co.

Borneo, Ger. s.s., 1,314, F. Sembill, 2 nd Jan.,
—Sandskan 17th Jan., Timber — M. & Co.
Bourbon, Fr. s.s., 990, Le Bail, 22rd Jan.,— Saigon 20th Jan., Rice -- Man Fat. 24 Chunsang, Br. s.s., 1,427, R. Cox." stat Jan.

-Salgon 15th Jan., Gen.-J., M. & Co. Empire, Br. s.s., 4,500, P. T. Helms, 23rd Jan.,-Kobe 18th Jan., Gen.-G., L. & Co Empress of India, Br. s.s., 3,032, E. Beetham, R.N.R., 14th Jan.,-Vancouver, (B.C.) 25th Dec., and Shanghai 11th Jan, Mails and

Gen,-C. P. R. Co. Frithjof, Nor. s.s., 891, H. A. Haraldsen, 19t Jan., -Tourane 15th Jan., Gen. -Asgaard, Thoresen & Co.

Fukura Maru, Jap. s.s., 1,945, K. Mori, 19th Jan.,-Moji 13th Jan., Coal.-M. B. K Gregory Apcar, Br. s.s., 2,961, S. H. Belson 24th Jan.,-Calcutta 8th Jan., via Penang and Singapore 18th, Gen.—D. S. & Co. Holstein, Ger. s.s., 1,103, A. Niejohr, 18th

Jan.,- Hon-Cohe 9th Jan., and Holhow 16th, Salt and Pigs .- J. & Co. H ngkong, Fr. s.s., 747, E. Coreil, 24th Jan.,-Haiphong and Hoihow 23rd Jan., Gen .--

Ichnng, Br. s.s., 1,231, W. L. Jones, 10th Jan., - Hongay 8th Jan., Gen. B. & S. Indradeo, Br. s.s., Easterbrod, 19th Jan.,-Sydney 24th Dec., Coal.-S., T. & 'o. Joshin Maru, Jap. + 8., 702, H. Ohta, 24th Jan.-Tamsui via Amoy and Swatow 23rd Jan., Gen .-- O. S. K.

Caifong. Br. s.s., 892, E. Fin'ayson, 15th Jan. —Cebu and Iloilo 10th Jan., Sugar.—B. & Kaga Maru, Jap. s.s., 3,60r, M. J. Curnow, 20th Jan, -Seattle, Wash, U.S.A. 21st

Jan., Flour and Gen.-N. Y. K. at Kowloon, Ger. s.s., 2,356, H. Stehr, 23rd Jan., -Chinking roth Jan., Gen., -S. & Co. Laisang, Br. s.s., 3,460, P. M. B. Lake, 16th Jan.,-Calcutta 30th Dec., Penang and Singapore 8th Jan., Gen.-J., M. & Co. Jan.,-Bangkok 14th Jan., and Anghin r5th, Rice and Wood,-B. & S.

Loyal, Ger. s.s., 1,237, F. Natzins, 21st Nov.,— Bangkov oth Nov., Rice and Gen -S., W.

Manila, Ger, s.s., 1,108, J. Minssen, 17th Jan., -Sydney 21st Dec., Gen.-M. & Co. Mausang, Br. s.s., 1,644, R. Houghton, 15th Jan .- Sandakan oth Jan., Timber.- J., M.

Mongolia, Am. s.s., 8,750, R. H. Hathaway, 10th Jan -- San Francisco 21st Dec., Honolulu 28th, Yokobama 9th Jan., Kobe 13th, Nagasaki 15th, and Shanghai 17th, Mails and Gen.—P. M. S. S. Co. Monteagle, Br. s.s.; 3,953, S. Robinson, 14th

Sept.,-Vancouver 20th Aug., and hange. hai 11th, Sept., Flour, Lead and Gen.-C. P. R. Co. June,-Manila 16th June, Ballast.-Barret-

S. de Rosario, Am. s.s., 715, M. Lopez, Blanco, 12th June,-Manila 9th June, Ballast,-Barretto & Co. ord, Nor. s.s., 730, G. Haraldsen, 15th Jan.,— Hoile, P.I. 9th Jan , Sugar and Sapanwood.

-Angaard, Thoresen & Co. Phra ang, Ger. s.s., 1,021, F. v. Mangelsdorff, 21st Jan .- Bangkok and Swatow 10th Jan., Rice and Gen.-M. & Co. Phuyen, Fr. s.s., 7,450, Buisson, 37st Jan.,-

Saigon 16th Jan., Rice.—B. & Co. itsanulok, Ger. s.s., 1,267, D. Reimers, 21st Jan.,-Bangkok 13th Jan., Rice and Wood. Frime, Nor. s.s., 761, B. A. Meyer, 22nd Jan.,

-Mororan, (Japan) 12th Jan, Slippers. Wallem & Co. Prometheus, Nor. s.s., 1,023; O. Kornetenssen, . 22nd Jan .- Bangkok via Swatow 1.th Jan., Gen. - V. Y. K.

- Saigon 19th Jan., Rice. - Asgaard, Proteus, Nor. s.s., 1,024, N. C. Krabbe, 10th Jan. Bangkok and Hoihow 28th cc. Gen.-N. Y. K. Rubi, Br. s.s., 1,611, R. W. Almond, 21st Jan., -Manila 1 th Jan., Gen.-S., T. & Co.

Sarsogau, Am. s.s., 428, Vitteria, 7th Bept.,-Manila 4th Sept., Ballast,-Order. Skuld, Nor. 2.2., 947, A. Odd, 21st Jan -Saigon 15th Jan., Rice,-Aagaard, Thore-

sen & Co. l'jibodas, Dut. s.s., 7,959, P. Zwart, 22nd fan.,-Makassar 14th Jan., Gen.-J. C. J

Triumph, Ger. s.s., 678, J. C. Hansen, 23rd Jun ... - Haiphong 20th Jan., and Huibow 22nd, Gen,-J. & Co. Ulv, Nor. s.s., 830, J. Pedersen, 17th Jan

Saigon 11th Jan., Rice and Flour.-Asguard, Thoreson & Co., Unding, Nor. s.s., 1,113, H. Thorkjornsen, 23rd Dec.,-Chefoo 17th Dec., Gen.-Aagaavd, Thoresen & Co.

Victoria, Ch. s.s., Messer, 23rd Jan.,—Canton 22nd Jan., Gen -M. & Co. Yrung, Am. s.s., 469, H. Nelson, 16th Oct.,-Amoy 14th Oct., Ballast.-Yeng Chung. Yunnan, Br. s.s., 1,206, W. Jones, 23rd Jan-Canton 22nd Jan., Gen.-B. & S.

SAILING VESSELS. E. B. Sutton, Am. ship, 1,639, Butmann, 22nd Dec.,-Haiphong 1st Dec., Ballast.-A., K Ponape, Ger. sch., 220, H. Martens, 31st Dec.,

-Yap 20th Dec., Ballast.-German Consul. Prince George, bk., 472, A. R. Anderson, 18th Oct.,-Manila 26th Sept., Old Iron.-

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	Athenian	Vancouver	C. P. R. Co	Fob. 3
	P. Sigismund Tsinan	Sydney	B. & S	Feb. 8
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1st December-Ceylon, Tonkin, Nyansa, Denbighatire, Deucalion, Telemichus, Benre ue, Riverton, Tilan, Brisgavia. 28th Dec. -Benvirlich, Gnetsenau, Ratho, Tamba Maru, Rulow, Dacin, Yeddo. 1st January-Brasmar, And the second states of the s Diomed, Liellis, Sumatra, Binco Maru, Tout-Nithania, 11th January—Australien, Sarhsen, Sarhsen, Saroula, Trieste, Inoba Maru, Rhenania, Chapman, B. F. Paine, A. E. Prinz Regent Luispold, "15th January—11. Denga, Benmohr, Kawachi Maru, Moyune, Lolhian, Myrmidon, Ghazee, Glenavon, Rheid-Chathan, Miss Perkins, Mr. fels, Tranquebar. 18 h. January-Formosa, Chichester, D. A. A. G.,

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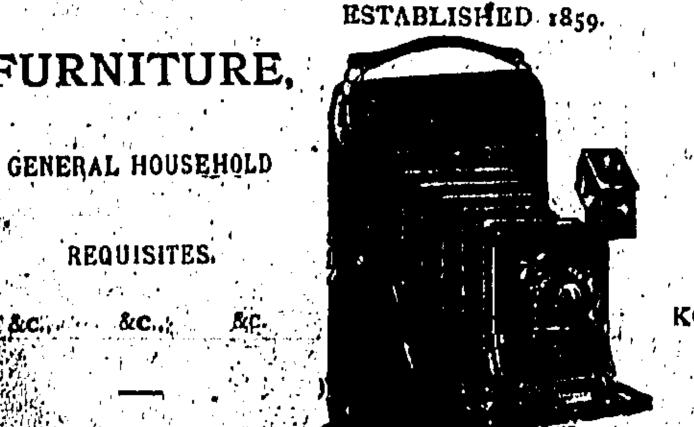
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Vangtsze Insurance Association, Limited	P,000	£100	5(a	\$569,279 / \$800,000 } \$61,278 } \$15,527 }	\$50 ⁹ ,334	Strand 53 special dividendillor 1904 v	91 2	5160 buyers
FIRE INSURANCES.	20,000	\$100	\$20	\$1,000,000 \$229,488 \$2,616	\$344,098	\$6 for I 04	64 %	\$95
Hongkong Fire Insumnce Company, Limited	8,000	1250	\$50	\$1,220,928	\$422,618		1	\$375 buyers
China and Manila Steamship Company, Limited		\$25 \$50	\$25 \$50	\$6,000 \$264,638} \$93,562} { \$250,000		\$21 for year ended 30.5.16.66		522 53 6
ongkong, Canton & Macno Steamboat Co., Ld	l'in _i coo	515	\$15	\$144,386 \$140,000	55,464	Sr for 18t half-year 10.6	64 %	\$30
Indo-China Steam Navigation Company, Limited Shanghai Tug and Lighter Company, Limited	1	£10	£10	£3,999		10/- @ ex. 2/1 9/16-\$4.69 [Interim div. of Tls. 2] a c 1906		186 Tls. 56 buyers
Do. (Preference) Shell "Transport and Trading Company, Limited	1,1 (0,000	£1	£1	{	107,015	17- (Coupon No. 6) for 1905	4 %	Tis. 50 buyers 30/- 129 sa. and b.
Star " Ferry Company, L. mite."	10,000	10	. '	32,017 116, 08,000		Interim div of The 2 occount cost	Q1 V	Sig sa. and b. T. Tis 49 buyers
Taku Tug and Lighter tempony. Limited	1,000,			7 1s. 48,000 (7 1s. 81,200)		internal div. or vis. 2 actional 1900		
China Sugar Refining Company, Limited		100	100	\$450,000 } \$86,129 } none	40,914	Final of \$15 making \$25 '61'1905		S130 sellers
Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited Perak Sugar Cultivation Company, Limited	*I .	7 18. 50		7 ls. 100,000	Tis. 8,935	Tls. 4 (8 %) for year end og 31.8.66	5, %	\$21 Tis. 80 sales
MINING. Chinese Engineering and Mining Company, Ld	1	C \$10	£1 G. \$10	£110,000}		[16 Chdcd 20.2.00	S ""	Tis. It buyers
Priental Consolidated Mining Company, Limited 1. Australian Gold Mining Company, Limited	\$0,000 \$0,000	ζ, ξ,	18/10	L4,873	131, 28,745		•	G. \$10 sellers
DOCKS, WHARVES & GODOWNS.	18,000	125	F25	\$70,000	\$8,915	\$2 for 1905	¢} %	Sar bayers
Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ld.		fro	50	\$50,000 \$65,160				1 06
Hongkong and Whampon Dock Company, Ld		\$ço		\$49,5ca	\$392,087	\$6 for first half-year ending 30.6.06	81 X	\$146
New Amoy Dock Company, Limited	., 35,700	\$6# Tis. 100 Tis. 100	2.1.	T's. 487,210	\$2,221 Tis, 3,997 Tis, 57,065	Final of Tls. 4 making Tls. 8 for 1905/6.	79 7	\$12 Tls. 108 buyers Tls. 245 s., c.m.
Yangtsze Wharf and Godown Company, Limited		[- 1s. 100	1 415, 57,005 1	7 h		1	Tis. 235 buyers
LANDS, HOTELS & BUILDINGS. Anglo-French Land Investment Co., Ld. Astor House Hotel Company, Limited (Shanghai) Central Stores, Limited		Tis. 100 \$25 \$15	Tis. 100 \$25 \$15)	none \$30,000	none \$8,418	First year \$3 for year ended 30.6.11.60	10 %	Tis. 105 sa. & 1 \$30 sellers \$18 buyers
Do. (new issue) Do. (Founders')	123	\$15 - \$15	\$15 S12	попе 5 \$648,975.7	\$4,719	7 % on 371 for 1905	100 010 100 010	\$16\frac{1}{2} buyers \$300 buyers \$125
l'ongkong Hotel Company, Limited	0,000	71550 1100 Tis. 25		1 519,075 } 1250,000 115, 29,783	167,839 Tis. 1,935	Interim div. of \$3\ account 1906	61 %	Sizz buyers Tis, 15 sales
Hotel Metropole Company, Limited	1 (0,000	210 2100	\$100	\$208,386} \$50,000	1. 1310/0	80 cents for 1905	61 %	\$12 sellers \$12 sellers \$37
Shanghai Land Investment Company, Limited Do. do. (new issue)	. { ₹2,000 26,000	S50 Tis. 50 Tis. 50	T1s. 25	Tis, 869,493 }	7 7-1-34	Tis. 3 for half-year 1906	54 %	Tis. 102 buyers
West Point Building Company, Limited	. 12,500	350	3 50	none	5772			Sta buyers
I we Cotton Spinning and Weaving Company, Ld. I liongkong Cotton Spinning, Weaving and Dyeing Company, Limited	*******	Tls. 50	Tls. 50 Sto	Tls. 150,000? Tls. 45,939. S110,000			'IO <u>l</u> %	Signature Signature
Laou-kung-mow Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co., Ld	8,000	Tir. 75			Tis. 36,211 Tis. 30,760 Tis. 35,986	Tls. 8 for 1905	71%	Tis. 62 Tis. 103 Tis. 340 buyers
Soy Chee Cotton Spinning Company, Limited		Tis. 300		T'la. 18,456			- 01	fico sellers
Anglo-German Brewery Company, Limited	8 ₁ 604	\$100 12/6 \$10	\$100 12/6 \$10	19,000	\$1,066 £856 \$1,097	\$3 for 1905	8t %	Sy sollers Sgo Sto
China Borneo Company, Limited	4,000	\$12 Tl+50 \$10	\$12 Tls, 50 \$10 \$10	none 11s: 50,000 10ne \$8,0000	Nil Tlk: E89 \$1,219 \$1,581	Final of Tls. 5 making Tis. 10 for 1905	6 %	Tis. 56 buyers.
Green Island Cement Company, Limited	25,000	\$10 \$71 \$10	\$6 \$10	\$50,000 \$410,000 \$500,000	\$2,555 \$52,291	Int. div. of 75 cents for 1-year ended 30.6.0	6 91%	Sid sales
link & Holtz, Limited	60,000	\$20 \$10	\$20 \$10	\$186,000 none	\$20,893 \$2,568	\$21 for year ending 28.2.05	. 7 1 %	Sagi sellers Se6 Sags
Hongkong High-Level Tramways Company, Ld Hongkong Ice Company, Limited	5,000	\$100 125 \$10	\$100 \$25 \$10 \$10	\$50,000 \$80,000 \$61,000	\$2,796 \$3,776 \$5,813 88 2	Ist div. of \$20 for 10 months ending 18.10.05. Int. div. of \$4 for 1-year ended 30.6.06 \$9 for 1905 on 5 shares	81 %	\$240 buyers \$21 sales \$7
Hongkong Steam Waterboat Company, Limited	25,000	\$10 Gs. 100 \$10		\$2,500 { Tis. 547,500} Tis. 27,603} none	Tls. 10,374	I Cath interim div. of Tls. 74 making Tls. 303	91 %	Tis. 250 buyers
Shanghai Gas Company, Limited (old)	, th,000 8,000	Tis. 50 Tis. 50 Tis. 50	Tis. 50 ?	Tis. 165,000 Tis. 45,000	Tis, 11,017 Tis, 9,751	(Interim dividend of Tls. 32 account)	64 %	Tis. 110 sellers Tis. 107; sales Tis. 46 sellers
hanghai Pulp and Paper Company, Limited	4,500		Tis. 100	Tis. 37,000} Tis. 8,000} Tis. 24,820}	Tls. 2,753			Tis. 120 sellers Tis. 110 buyers
Shanghai Waterworks Company, Limited	\$ 8,175	£20 £20 \$25	(20) (15) \$15	Tis. 25,000 } Tis. 190,000	Tls. 85,592	{Interim div. of 15/- for 1-year 1906	# 1 / 1 / 1 / 1 / 1 / 1 / 1 / 1 / 1 / 1	Tis. 315 Tis. 285 \$24
South China Morning Post, Limited	20,000	\$25 \$ 5 Tls, 100	\$ 5	none none Tis, 15,205 }	Dr. \$41,934 \$214 Tls. 1,012	30 cts. (old) & 15 cts. (new) ear ended 31.5.66 Interim of Tis. 4 for year 1995/6	52.7	Ssi Tin ico buyers
United Asbestos Oriental Agency, Limited	9,000	o12	\$4} \$10}	\$25,000 } \$300,000 }	\$752	{70 cepts } for year ended 11.5.1906	C YE A	\$150 \$150 \$12
Watson, (A. S.) & Co., Limited William Powell, Limited		\$10	\$10	\$4,500	\$7,734 \$182	{Final of 3 > cts. making 80 cts. for the } year ended 30th June, 1906	104 %	\$7 buyers
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		1				China Provident Loan & M. Co	\$2,10	Sat., Jan. 26th Mon., Jan. 28th
		,,,				Hongkong Land Investment and A. Co Hongkong and Shanghal Banking Corp Hongkong and Whampon Dock Co., Ld Shanghai Land Investment Co	Soci Tie 4	
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